



# Charlestown State Park



Park Office



Benches near the comfort station by sites 54 & 56

- An adult must accompany children.
- In case of rain, outdoor programs followed by an (\*) are moved to the campground office. All others are cancelled.

Bulletin Board:

1. Photo Contest Enter Today!

2. Hoosier Quest:  Earn a Pin

3. June 19-20 Balloon Glow & Race 

4. June 20 Volunteer for the Ohio River Sweep

Office Hours: 8:30 am–4 pm M-F  
Phone: 812 256-5600


Friday, June 19

- 4:30 pm
- Watch for the Wanderer.** Watch for the naturalist at the campground gate or in the campground to discover some of the weekend’s activities!
- 6:00 pm
- Get a Seat.** Our balloon glow at 8:00 pm is sure to be packed. Arrive at 6 pm for a chance at a closer seat and perhaps an opportunity to watch the balloons fill up! Bring lawn chairs. (Between Oak and Clark Shelters)
- 8:00 pm
- Balloon Glow!** It’s finally here, and you won’t want to miss it. Watch as hot air balloons glow against the night sky. (Between Oak and Clark Shelters)


Saturday, June 20

- 9:00 am–12:00 pm
- **Ohio River Sweep.** We are calling all volunteers to help clean up around our Ohio! Meet at the Park Office for registration and instructions. Free t-shirts and trash bags are provided. Bring gloves, bug spray, and water bottles.
- 11:00 am
- **Discover the Hoosier Quest Program.** Want to connect, discover, and explore everything the park has to offer? Find out how to earn unique patches and pins in the process!
- 11:30 am
- **Photo Contest Info.** Want to enter our 3<sup>rd</sup> Annual Amateur Photo Contest for your chance to win one of three IDNR 2010 season passes? It’s easy—meet with the naturalist to find out how!
- 1:00 pm
- **Remember Rose Island.** Take a trip back in time to the Amusement Park that graced our property in the 1920s and 1930s, complete with alligators, bears, and a roller coaster. \*
- 2:30 pm
- **Water Wings**—don’t bring them for these games, but you will get wet!
- 8:00 pm
- Balloon Race**—On your mark, get set, go—to the area between Oak and Clark Shelters to see massive hot air balloons take off on their race!






Sunday, June 21 Happy Father’s Day!

- 10:00 am
- **Father’s Day Craft.** Don’t forget about dad! Make a special gift he’s sure to enjoy.


Friday, June 26

- 4:30 pm
- Watch for the Wanderer.** See Friday, June 19 for description.
- 6:30 pm
- **Gone Batty?** Think you know all about bats? Test your knowledge of bat facts and lore, and learn a “flight-ful” game as well. \*

Saturday, June 27

- 10:00 am
- **Park of the Past.** The Army Ammunition Plant of Indiana is a fascinating part of our history. How did it change the county, and the world, during World War II? What is left today? Discover all this and more, including historic photographs, during this film.
- 11:30 am
- **Discover the Hoosier Quest Program.** See Saturday, June 20.
- 12:00 pm
- **Photo Contest Info.** See Saturday, June 20.
- 12:45 pm
- Picnic on the Overview.** Bring your packed lunch and join the naturalist for a relaxing break on the Riverside Overlooks. If interested, sketching materials and identification references will be provided.
- 2:00 pm
- **Balloon Break!** Dress to get wet during some chilling water games!
- 3:30 pm
- **Worm Races.** You read it right! There’s no better time to learn about these great gardeners than during a worm race. (Bring your own worm!)\*

Sunday, June 28

- 10:00 am
- **Leaf Prints.** Ever wonder about that tree along the trail or in your backyard? Make leaf prints for some of the most common Indiana trees, and let the new tree ID’s do all the work.